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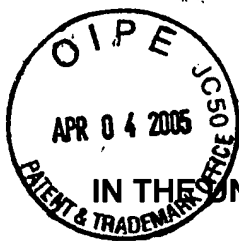
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Appln. No. : 10/748,074  
Conf. No.: : 6856  
Filed: : October 29, 2003  
Title: : PULSE OXIMETRY SENSOR AND DISPENSING METHOD  
Group Art Unit : 3736  
Examiner : Winakur, E.  
Docket No. : 01-43 C1

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April 4, 2005  
(April 3, 2005 = Sunday)

**AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1504

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Official Action dated January 3, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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